

The Frankfort Roundabout

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GOOD-BYE.

Having disposed of the Roundabout and my entire printing plant to Mr. Hubert Vreeland, my connection with this paper ceases with this issue, and I desire to request the same kind patronage for my successor which has been extended to me in the past. To the friends who have stood by me loyally during all the years I have been in business, I return the thanks of a heart full of appreciation of their kindness.

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WILL NUISANCE BE ABATED.

Should the city authorities not take prompt action in the matter of abolishing the stock sales on the corner of Main and St. Clair streets, county court days. Next Monday, the disgraceful scenes enacted at the place mentioned on such days will be witnessed by the members of the Legislature and the numerous other strangers, who will be present on that occasion. As a matter of course most of the strangers will visit the New Capital, and to do so must make their way, as best they can, through the gangs of horses, cows, sheep, and hogs that will be assembled here. The noise and the dirt, to say nothing of the disagreeable odors, will not be calculated to inspire the visitors and the solons with an exalted idea of the city of Frankfort and her rules, but will, on the other hand, remind them rather of a scene in a village of the third class. Frankfort is a likely candidate for metropolitan honors, but, so long as such monthly exhibitions as this are permitted to hold sway, at the busiest spot in the city, her progressive citizens and well-wishers can never hope to see her ambition along this line realized.

DISTINGUISHED JURIST DIES.

At his home in Louisville, on Tuesday, Judge John Watson Barr, Sr., died after an illness of several weeks aged 81 years.

Judge Barr was one of the ablest lawyers ever produced by Kentucky. He was born in Woodford county in 1826. After a splendid career as a lawyer he was appointed U. S. District Judge to succeed Judge Bland Bullard, deceased, in 1880, and during his whole career as Judge commanded the admiration and respect of the whole people for his stern integrity, firmness, and, at the same time, the gentleness with which he executed his high office. He retired under the law a few years since.

Judge Barr was a devoted Christian gentleman and a member of the Fourth Avenue Presbyterian Church, in Louisville. The funeral services were conducted from that church, by the pastor Rev. W. F. Irwin, at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday, and the loved remains were laid away in Cave Hill Cemetery.

He leaves one son and five daughters

beside a large circle of relations and friends to mourn an upright judge, tender father and friend.

REFUSED REMISSION.

Gov. Willson, on Tuesday, after a careful study of the case, refused to remit the Commonwealth's portion of the \$5,000 fine of B. Fulton French for contempt in running off witnesses in the Marcum damage suit in Clark county. The State's part of the fine amounted to \$1,100.

TOLLED OUT THE OLD AND RANG IN THE NEW YEAR.

Just before the stroke of 12, on Tuesday night, the city tolled out the death of the year 1907, and, at the last stroke of the clocks, the merry chimes rang in the year 1908, accompanied by the blowing of steam whistles and the firing of explosives. For a short time things certainly broke loose, and a warm welcome was extended the new year. Services were held, Wednesday morning at the Church of the Good Shepherd, the First Presbyterian, Southern Presbyterian and Ascension Episcopal Churches. For a while it gave one a creepy feeling when the unwanted sound of the bells tolling at midnight broke on the air.

MOTOR ROLLER SKATES PROJECTED.

Such a hold has the roller-skating craze taken on the people of Frankfort, old and young, white and black, that many have become enthusiastic, and not a few bid fair to develop into cranks over the sport. One of the latter, who by the way, is of an inventive turn of mind, confided to the writer of these lines that he was hard at work on a proposed motor roller-skate, which he hoped to perfect within a week or so.

While he would not permit his name to be used at present, he did give an outline and idea of what the new contrivance would be like. His plan is to have the skates operated by a cunningly-contrived storage battery, to be concealed about the person of the one who uses the skates. The skates, which will have rubber-tired wheels, are to be larger and of a more substantial build than those now worn; the wheels will also be higher. The battery would, so he claimed, be connected with the running gear of the skates by a slender wire through which would be transmitted the necessary current for its successful operation.

In summing up his description of the invention on which he is working, he declared that one might don the skates, and, without any exertion whatever, beyond the touch of a button, roll around at will, and at a rapid pace, over the pavements of a city, or skim over the surface of country roads with equal speed and ease, thus bringing to modern civilization an actual realization of the merits and uses of the famous "seven-league boots," so often spoken of in the delightful fairy tales of childhood.

APPOINTED SPECIAL JUDGE.

Gov. Willson, on Tuesday, appointed Judge W. L. Brown, of London, special circuit judge to hold an extra term of the Pulaski Circuit Court.

FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY.

[By H. H. Farmer.]

Its boots not what the passer by May say of thee, my home, my town;

Or how the cold, impartial eye— May jot thy imperfections down I love each tree and knoll and dell, From Fitzgerald's Bend to Sulphur Well.

The little Devil's Hollow Bridge! How oft have I gone there to brood And known the joyous privilege Of calm, uninterrupted mood; Or with some loved companion strolled, And of my homes and day-dreams told!

And where the elm boughs sway and swing And rustle in the summer breeze! How oft have I from Coleman's Spring, Drunk long and deep, on bended knees; Then lay and watched, with sweet content, The string of pails that came and went!

I've gathered berries from thy hills, And hunted coon and possum there; And swum and fished, and felt the thrills

Thy winding river yields from care And trod the bluegrass, waving deep, Where Boone, and Hart and Johnson sleep!

From Rodman's Height and Arlington, From Arnold's and the old Fort Hill,

I've seen thee radiant in the sun, And in the moonlight, calm and still; And thrilled with Roman's pride of Rome, That I could claim thee as my home!

If a cough once gets into your system it acts on every muscle and fibre of the body and makes you ache all over. It especially affects the intestines and makes you constipated, so in order to get rid of a cold thoroughly and without delay you should not take anything that will tend to constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by South & Co.

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[Decatur (Texas) Messenger.]

RECORD BROKEN.

Peninger, Helm & Dillehay have closed a contract with the Moore Milling Co. to build them a galvanized tank 24 feet in circumference and 30 feet tall. This is by far the largest water tank of this kind ever built in Decatur, and the above firm is to be congratulated on securing the contract. Bert Miller, who has been with Peninger, Helm & Dillehay for the past two years, has proved to be quite an expert in tank building. Mr. Miller also did the contract work on the new Baptist church, which was a very difficult job. Ex-President Ward said that Mr. Miller was the only inner that ever stopped the Baptist college from leaking. Willard Blackburn, who is to have in charge the placing this large tank on foundation, has also proved to be quite a genius in his line of work. The above firm deserve your consideration when in need of anything in their line.

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